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2016 - 2017 Early Exit and Dropout Rates for Grades 9 - 12

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District	School	Fall 2016 Enrollment	Earned HiSet (1)	Enrolled In College (2)	Dropped Out (3)	Total	Annual Early Exit Percentage (4)	4 Year Cumulative Rate (4)	Annual Dropout Percentage (5)	4 Year Cumulative Rate (5)
	State Total	56,553	338	3	638	979	1.72%	6.72%	1.12%	4.42%
Bedford	Bedford High School	1,494	4	0	3	7	0.47%	1.86%	0.20%	0.80%
Berlin	Berlin Senior High School	416	0	0	7	7	1.68%	6.55%	1.68%	6.55%
Bow	Bow High School	625	3	0	1	4	0.64%	2.53%	0.16%	0.64%
Claremont	Stevens High School	546	1	0	16	17	3.12%	11.91%	2.94%	11.24%
Colebrook	Colebrook Academy	124	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Concord	Concord High School	1,665	19	0	21	40	2.40%	9.25%	1.26%	4.94%
Contoocook Valley	Conval Regional High School	737	2	0	17	19	2.55%	9.81%	2.28%	8.81%
Conway	Kennett High School	749	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Dover	Dover Senior High School	1,312	18	0	9	27	2.05%	7.96%	0.68%	2.71%
Dresden	Hanover High School	749	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Epping	Epping High School	277	7	0	9	16	5.76%	21.11%	3.24%	12.33%
Exeter Region Cooperative	Exeter High School	1,685	5	0	9	14	0.83%	3.28%	0.53%	2.12%
Fall Mountain Regional	Fall Mountain Regional High School	493	0	0	9	9	1.82%	7.09%	1.82%	7.09%
Farmington	Farmington Senior High School	263	4	0	5	9	3.42%	13.00%	1.90%	7.39%
Franklin	Franklin High School	337	4	0	13	17	4.91%	18.25%	3.76%	14.20%
Gilford	Gilford High School	491	8	0	2	10	2.04%	7.90%	0.41%	1.62%
Goffstown	Goffstown High School	1,107	0	0	8	8	0.72%	2.85%	0.72%	2.85%
Gorham Randolph Shelburne	Gorham High School	134	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Governor Wentworth Regional	Kingswood Regional High School	804	1	0	11	12	1.49%	5.84%	1.37%	5.36%
Haverhill Cooperative	Woodsville High School	206	0	0	4	4	1.94%	7.54%	1.94%	7.54%
Hillsboro-Deering Cooperative	Hillsboro-Deering High School	342	3	0	4	7	2.04%	7.92%	1.17%	4.58%
Hinsdale	Hinsdale High School	147	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Hollis-Brookline Cooperative	Hollis-Brookline High School	829	7	0	0	7	0.85%	3.34%	0.00%	0.00%
Hopkinton	Hopkinton High School	271	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Hudson	Alvirne High School	1,267	15	0	11	26	2.04%	7.93%	0.87%	3.42%
Inter-Lakes Cooperative	Inter-Lakes High School	330	1	0	0	1	0.30%	1.21%	0.00%	0.00%
Jaffrey-Rindge Cooperative	Conant High School	390	7	0	7	14	3.56%	13.51%	1.78%	6.94%
John Stark Regional	John Stark Regional High School	673	0	1	6	7	1.03%	4.06%	0.88%	3.49%
Kearsarge Regional	Kearsarge Regional High School	555	2	0	0	2	0.36%	1.43%	0.00%	0.00%
Keene	Keene High School	1,374	4	0	15	19	1.38%	5.41%	1.09%	4.29%

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Laconia	Laconia High School	549	2	0	17	19	3.42%	13.01%	3.07%	11.72%
Lebanon	Lebanon High School	611	2	0	3	5	0.82%	3.23%	0.49%	1.95%
Lincoln-Woodstock	Lin-Wood Public School (High)	92	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Lisbon Regional	Lisbon Regional School (High)	108	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Litchfield	Campbell High School	462	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Littleton	Littleton High School	224	3	0	1	4	1.79%	6.95%	0.45%	1.77%
Londonderry	Londonderry Senior High School	1,521	1	0	10	11	0.72%	2.85%	0.65%	2.59%
Manchester	Manchester Memorial High School	1,466	14	0	18	32	2.17%	8.41%	1.22%	4.80%
Manchester	Manchester Central High School	1,532	10	0	35	45	2.93%	11.22%	2.28%	8.82%
Manchester	Manchester West High School	861	11	1	31	43	4.96%	18.41%	3.58%	13.58%
Manchester	Manchester School of Technology (High School)	332	1	0	3	4	1.19%	4.69%	0.90%	3.53%
	Manchester District Total	4,191	36	1	87	124	2.95%	11.27%	2.07%	8.02%
Mascenic Regional	Mascenic Regional High School	340	0	0	1	1	0.29%	1.17%	0.29%	1.17%
Mascoma Valley Regional	Mascoma Valley Regional High School	326	1	0	4	5	1.53%	5.98%	1.22%	4.80%
Merrimack	Merrimack High School	1,174	7	0	11	18	1.53%	5.97%	0.93%	3.68%
Merrimack Valley	Merrimack Valley High School	840	1	0	7	8	0.95%	3.75%	0.83%	3.29%
Milford	Milford High School	828	0	0	10	10	1.20%	4.71%	1.20%	4.71%
Milton	Nute High School	166	9	0	4	13	7.78%	27.69%	2.40%	9.24%
Monadnock Regional	Monadnock Regional High School	477	1	0	7	8	1.67%	6.53%	1.46%	5.73%
Moultonborough	Moultonborough Academy	185	1	0	3	4	2.15%	8.33%	1.61%	6.30%
Nashua	Nashua High School South	1,789	10	0	41	51	2.82%	10.81%	2.27%	8.77%
Nashua	Nashua High School North	1,729	4	0	39	43	2.45%	9.45%	2.22%	8.60%
	Nashua District Total	3,518	14	0	80	94	2.64%	10.14%	2.25%	8.69%
Newfound Area	Newfound Regional High School	386	3	0	4	7	1.79%	6.99%	1.03%	4.05%
Newmarket	Newmarket JrSr. High School	246	1	0	1	2	0.81%	3.20%	0.40%	1.61%
Newport	Newport Middle High School (High)	335	1	0	1	2	0.60%	2.37%	0.30%	1.19%
Northumberland	Groveton High School	140	1	0	2	3	2.13%	8.24%	1.42%	5.55%
Oyster River Coop	Oyster River High School	764	1	0	0	1	0.13%	0.52%	0.00%	0.00%
Pelham	Pelham High School	655	7	0	1	8	1.22%	4.80%	0.15%	0.61%
Pembroke	Pembroke Academy	810	6	0	13	19	2.33%	9.00%	1.60%	6.24%
Pemi-Baker Regional	Plymouth Regional High School	674	1	0	1	2	0.30%	1.18%	0.15%	0.59%
Pittsburg	Pittsburg School (High)	35	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Pittsfield	Pittsfield High School	166	2	0	1	3	1.80%	6.99%	0.60%	2.37%
Portsmouth	Portsmouth High School	1,087	3	0	3	6	0.55%	2.19%	0.28%	1.10%
Profile	Profile Senior High School	142	0	0	1	1	0.70%	2.77%	0.70%	2.77%
Raymond	Raymond High School	420	6	0	9	15	3.55%	13.48%	2.13%	8.26%
Rochester	Bud Carlson Academy	65	17	0	6	23	35.38%	82.57%	9.23%	32.12%
Rochester	Spaulding High School	1,367	0	0	14	14	1.02%	4.03%	1.02%	4.03%
	Rochester District Total	1,432	17	0	20	37	2.58%	9.93%	1.40%	5.47%
Salem	Salem High School	1,146	5	0	3	8	0.70%	2.76%	0.26%	1.04%

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Sanborn Regional	Sanborn Regional High School	654	6	0	6	12	1.83%	7.13%	0.92%	3.61%
Shaker Regional	Belmont High School	401	4	0	27	31	7.42%	26.53%	6.46%	23.44%
Somersworth	Somersworth High School	473	14	0	8	22	4.62%	17.24%	1.68%	6.57%
Souhegan Cooperative	Souhegan Coop High School	831	2	0	3	5	0.60%	2.38%	0.36%	1.43%
Sunapee	Sunapee Sr. High School	144	0	0	1	1	0.69%	2.73%	0.69%	2.73%
Timberlane Regional	Timberlane Regional High School	1,172	1	0	6	7	0.59%	2.36%	0.51%	2.02%
White Mountains Regional	White Mountains Regional High School	389	0	0	3	3	0.77%	3.04%	0.77%	3.04%
Wilton-Lyndeborough	Wilton-Lyndeboro Senior High School	170	1	0	0	1	0.59%	2.33%	0.00%	0.00%
Windham	Windham High School	901	3	0	0	3	0.33%	1.33%	0.00%	0.00%
Winnacunnet Cooperative	Winnacunnet High School	1,024	9	0	8	17	1.66%	6.47%	0.78%	3.09%
Winnisquam Regional	Winnisquam Regional High School	446	5	0	5	10	2.24%	8.65%	1.12%	4.40%
	Public Academies and Joint Maintenance Agreement									
	Prospect Mountain High School	496	0	0	1	1	0.20%	0.80%	0.20%	0.80%
	Coe-Brown Northwood Academy	710	0	0	1	1	0.14%	0.56%	0.14%	0.56%
	Pinkerton Academy	3,166	38	1	27	66	2.08%	8.06%	0.85%	3.36%
	Public Chater Schools									
	Granite State Arts Academy Charter School	131	0	0	2	2	1.53%	5.97%	1.53%	5.97%
	North Country Charter Academy (H)	44	1	0	6	7	15.56%	49.15%	13.33%	43.58%
	Cocheco Arts and Technology Charter Academy	66	0	0	1	1	1.52%	5.92%	1.52%	5.92%
	Great Bay eLearning Charter School (H)	126	0	0	3	3	2.40%	9.26%	2.40%	9.26%
	Ledyard Charter School	33	0	0	4	4	11.43%	38.46%	11.43%	38.46%
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	CSI Charter School	49		0	0	12	22.64%	64.19%	22.64%	64.19%
	Academy for Science and Design Charter (H)	190	0	0	-	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
	Virtual Learning Academy (H)	182	0	0	3	3	1.65%	6.43%	1.65%	6.43%
	PACE Career Academy Charter School	36	0	0	5	5	12.82%	42.24%	12.82%	42.24%
	Making Community Connections Charter School (H)	53	5	0	8	13	23.64%	65.99%	14.55%	46.67%
	Making Community Connections Charter School - Monadnock	82	1	0	5	6	7.32%	26.21%	6.10%	22.25%
	Making Community Connections Charter School District Total	135	6	0	13	19	13.87%	44.96%	9.49%	32.89%
	TEAMS Charter School	21	1	0	0	1	4.76%	17.73%	0.00%	0.00%
	Next Charter School	66	0	0	1	1	1.52%	5.92%	1.52%	5.92%
	The Founders Academy Charter School (H)	55	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

## Footnotes:

<sup>(1)</sup> These are students that exited high school during the 16-17 school year but subsequently received a high school equivalency certificate from the State of NH as a result of testing at one of the NH high school equivalency testing centers. Only students that voluntarily granted access to their high school transcripts have been counted on this high school report. Any student who did not grant access to their transcripts or who received a high school equivalency certificate from another state could not be verified and therefore has been counted as "Dropped Out."

<sup>(2)</sup> These are early exit students who have not earned a high school equivalency certificate but have enrolled in at least one college course. National Student Clearinghouse data, which contains enrollment verification for 96% of US two and four year college students, was used to identify enrollment. Students who have earned a high school equivalency certificate and have entered college without graduating are only counted once – under high school equivalency. They are not double counted.

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- (3) Dropouts are early exit, non-graduates that have not been identified as either receiving a high school equivalency certificate or enrolling in college. If a student has previously ever dropped out, they are excluded from the count to avoid double counting.
- (4) The total number of early exit, non-graduates has been used to calculate annual and cumulative percentages. These are comparable to prior years "dropout" rates. The rate formulas are explained below.
- (5) The annual and cumulative percentages have been calculated using only the "Dropped Out" sub-category count. The rate formulas are explained below.
- (6) In the past, different enrollment adjustments were used for high migration Charter schools. Starting with 2014 2015 school year, October 1st enrollment is used for all schools.

Definition of an early exiter: For 2016-2017, any student who completed the 2015-2016 school year but did not return to school in September 2016, or who left high school during the 2016-2017 school year and did not return to high school by October 1, 2017. The definition does not include students who were home schooled, suspended, temporarily expelled, truants, incarcerated; or who completed a high school program (diploma or certificate), transferred to another high school, or died.

Definition of a dropout: For 2016-2017, any early exiter who has not received a high school equivalency certificate or been enrolled in college prior to the compilation of this report.

Annual Early Exit Rate = Early Exit count, divided by the October 1, 2016 enrollment plus Early Exits that left before October 1st. This rate is not applicable to Charter Schools due to high migration.

Annual Dropout Rate = Dropouts divided by the October 1, 2016 enrollment plus students that dropped out before October 1st. This rate is not applicable to Charter Schools due to high migration.

Cumulative Rates = 1 - (1 - annual rate)^4. This formula applies the annual rate to a progressively declining base population. The cumulative rate represents the percentage of current students who will early exit or drop out before reaching graduation if the annual rate does not change. This rate is not applicable to Charter Schools due to high migration.